

Dr Ernest Allan MB, ChB FRCS (Ed), FRCR

Consultant Clinical Oncologist

Christie Hospital (Hon)

CURRICULUM VITAE JANUARY 2023

Year first appointed as a consultant: 1977

Date of retirement from clinical work: February 2019

I now have an honorary appointment to enable me to continue research.

GMC Number – 0028813

Academic Qualifications:

- Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, Manchester, 1963
- Licentiate of The Royal College of Physicians of England, 1963
- Member of The Royal College of Surgeons of England, 1963
- Fellow of The Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- Fellow of The Royal College of Radiologists

Present Position:

40 years Consultant Clinical Oncologist at the Christie Hospital. (Now honorary). The Christie is one of the largest and most prestigious cancer treating institutes in UK and beyond.

I am now experienced in the management of all forms of cancer.

Medico-Legal Experience:

I have over 20 years' experience in Medico-Legal Report Writing and Expert Witness Services. I am on the U.K. Register of Expert Witnesses.

I provide expert opinion in cancer related malpractice cases. I have provided over 100 reports dealing with breach of duty and causation in recent years.

- 50% of cases have been for the plaintiff, 40% have been for the defendant and in 10% I have acted as a joint expert.
- I issue reports where cancer has resulted from occupational exposure to carcinogens.

I also provide expert reports for the General Medical Council.

Appointments:

October 2018: Expert Speaker at medico-legal conference in Edinburgh.

September 2019: Expert Speaker: Salford Royal Hospital: Medical legal aspects of malignant melanoma.

Committees:

- I am a member of the Cochrane organisation.

Relevant Previous membership:

- Member of the national guidance committee, advising The National Institute of Clinical Excellence on guidance for the national delivery of skin cancer services.
- Vice President of the European platform for Photodynamic medicine.
- Committee advising the department of health on the provision of photodynamic therapy services in the UK.

Papers Published:

Throughout my career I have published a large volume of papers, including on

- Hodgkin's Disease, European Journal of Cancer
- Breast cancer, European Journal of Cancer
- Thyroid cancer, Nuclear Medicine Communications and E.N.T. journals
- Bladder cancer, British Journal of Urology
- Management of skin cancer in various dermatological journals